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## STORM

of Saturday and Sunday the Worst for Many Years.

Rivers High and Still Rising,

Doing Millions of Dollars Worth of Damage in the Buckeye and Adjoining States---Railroad and Telegraph Service Greatly Impaired.

Pittsburg, April 22.—Pittsburg and Allegheny are slowly emerging from the murky flood. The rivers are receding nearly a foot an hour. The highest point reached at Davis Island dam was 25.8 feet at 3 a. m., which means 25 feet at the junction of the Allegheny and Monongahela rivers. Conservative estimates of the total damage in this district is between \$1,000,000 and \$3,000,000. Fifty thousand workers are suffering from enforced idleness. While there have been greater floods at this point, there was never one that caused so much financial loss and discomfort. This was due to the dense population caused by the recent rapid growth of the two cities, and to the fact that all manufacturing plants on the river bank were in active operation, most of them working night and day, until the rising waters put out the fires and drove the workers to higher ground.

The loss to the railroads entering Pittsburg from flood, landslides, wrecked bridges, heavy snow and the interference with traffic is estimated at \$1,000,000. On the Fort Wayne the worst trouble was a snow blockade between Salem and Massillon. On this line Saturday morning and tied up for the next 14 hours. Traffic on other roads was seriously impeded. Big landslides occurred on the Pittsburgh and Lake Erie, the Baltimore and Ohio at Sand, on the Panhandle, on the South Side, the Bessemer at several points and the Allegheny Valley near Franklin, Pa. The slide at Sand was 100 feet long and it required 14 hours' work to clear one track. At Skobro the Lake Erie received its most serious landslide. One hundred feet of the westbound track was carried 50 feet down the steep bank, the whole face of the bank slipping down into the river. On the lines of the Pennsylvania and Baltimore and Ohio to Wheeling great damage is reported, and both lines were tied up for several hours. Five miles of the Pittsburgh, Bessemer and Lake Erie tracks are under water. The bank was continually sliding down onto the tracks and a large force of men could not keep them clear. The submerged districts in Pittsburgh and Allegheny are a scene of abject misery.

Flood at Cincinnati. Cincinnati, April 22.—The Ohio river is still rising and the danger line has been passed. The crest of the Pittsburgh flood will not be here till Tuesday morning. When the rains came earlier cold weather followed them, so that the snows did not melt suddenly in the mountains, but at this season a second flood is feared if warm weather follows the clearing weather here and elsewhere along the Ohio valley. The backwater has inundated all the bottoms of Mill Creek valley and most of the Little Miami valley. The western part of this city, as well as the Ohio river front, is flooded. The baseball park is on the West Side, and it will be under water when the stage of 56 feet is reached. The racetrack at Newport, Ky., will be under water at 58 feet. The river is rising here at the rate of six inches an hour. When the stage reaches 53 feet the Big Four, Baltimore and Ohio, Southwestern, Chesapeake and Ohio, Queen and Crescent and other lines that use the Central station will be unable to get into their depot. River lines have suspended operations.

Taking to the Hills. Portsmouth, O., April 22.—The river is rising four and a half inches per hour, with both the Scioto and the Little Scioto rivers out of their banks. All are moving from the lower lands. A levee near Lucasville is weakening. Should it burst a solid wall of the Scioto will play havoc in that section. Watchmen are giving warning to the people. Residents of small river towns in this county are taking to the hills. At Sciotoville and Wheelersburg the situation is serious. All of the people of New Boston are in tents.

Lewisstown Reservoir. Bellefontaine, O., April 22.—Lewisown reservoir has not yet gone through its banks, but fear still exists that it will, and vigilance has not been relaxed by the people in that vicinity. The break of eight years ago that devastated the country below and ruined dams and swept away bridges is still fresh in the minds of the people, and they are keeping up the vigil to see

that all small breaks are repaired. Out of Their Banks. Knoxville, April 22.—Snow continued to fall all day Sunday throughout the greater part of eastern Tennessee. On the mountains, where it has not been melting, the snow is reported to have reached a depth of nearly two feet. The rivers are out of bounds, but along the smaller ones the greater fear has passed. The Tennessee river at this point is 15 feet and rising.

Business Suspended. Pomeroy, O., April 22.—The water is over a foot deep in buildings on the river front. Residents have generally moved to high ground. Business men have prepared for 10 feet more of water. Considerable loss will be sustained by salt and lumber men. Business is practically suspended. Railroad connections are broken.

IN WEST VIRGINIA. Great Damage Done in the Central and Southern Portions. Huntington, W. Va., April 22.—The rain and snow which have been falling for 73 hours have ceased. The Ohio has passed the danger line of 50 feet and is still rising 3.9 inches an hour, with the Guyandotte, Big Sandy, Tug and Twelve Pole also rising rapidly at all points. Fully 10 feet more water is expected here. The Kanawha and New rivers are also still rising. Great damage has resulted throughout the southern and central portions of the state. There is much suffering among the people compelled to seek quarters in the hills along the Guyandotte and Twelve Pole. Carter Slidgion was drowned in Tug river and John Swanson drowned in the Guyandotte while endeavoring to save property. Catletsburg, Corrado, Central City, Dingess, Dunlow, Barboursville and many smaller towns are suffering heavily. Owing to the wires being down it is almost impossible to learn the situation at interior counties.

Towns Waterbound. Wheeling, April 22.—The rising river shuts Wheeling entirely out of outside communication by rail, and only the big Cincinnati line is able to run now, and irate residents along the river banks are firing frequently at the boats because the swell from them is washing the foundations away from their houses. In Wheeling, Belaire, Bridgeport, Benwood and Martin's Ferry about 500 houses have been entered by the water, most of the families moving to the upper floors. Nearly every manufacturing establishment in the Wheeling district is shut down and can not resume until Tuesday. Taking the loss of business, railroad landslides and industrial losses, the aggregate cost of the flood in this district is at least \$100,000, probably more.

Cleveland Crippled. Cleveland, April 22.—The fierce storm of wind and snow that swept over this city and northern Ohio gradually subsided. It was followed by a fog so dense that it was almost impossible to see from one side of a street to the other. Notwithstanding the heroic efforts of the telegraph and telephone companies to repair their prostrated lines, there has thus far been little improvement to the service. Not a single wire was working on any direct route between this city and Buffalo or Pittsburgh. Trains on practically all roads entering the city continue to arrive from one to three hours behind schedule time.

Traffic Delayed. New York, April 22.—Owing to the heavy storm which has been raging in the west all traffic east of Cleveland has been delayed from two to seven hours. The Grand Central depot presented a strange appearance as the belated western trains lumbered in several hours late with their roofs and steps encrusted with snow and ice. Friends of the long overdue passengers hung around the depot all day and rushed to meet the weary passengers every time a train came in. Disappointments were frequent, as most of the trains were divided into several sections at Buffalo.

Parkersburg Submerged. Parkersburg, W. Va., April 22.—The loss by the flood here is estimated at \$250,000. The lower business district is under water and many of the smaller houses have been carried from

their foundations and washed away. A rise of five feet more will flood half of the business section, including hotels. A rise of 10 feet is expected, from reports above the river, and it will submerge the business section, including the newspaper offices. Two men were drowned in the Little Kanawha. Relief committees have been organized.

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## MARVELOUS

Surgical Operation was Performed

On a Man Who Had Been Stabbed in a Row.

Three Stitches Were Taken in His Heart to Close Up the Incision Which was Made by the Knife.

St. Louis, April 22.—Dr. H. L. Nietert took three stitches in the heart of Philip Gunn, who had been stabbed in a saloon brawl. The point of the knife blade had entered the right ventricle and had pierced to the cavity of the heart. Luckily the knife had entered the heart obliquely, and the result was that the opening between the cavity and the pericardium, or covering of the heart, was lip-shaped on both sides. Dr. Nietert first removed a section of the breastbone, exposing the pericardium. The motion of the heart can not be repressed, and Dr. Nietert was forced to make stitches while the organ was shifting about. It required three sutures to effectually close the gap. This delicate operation finished, the pericardium was sewed together. The victim may recover.

## CHINESE

Slaves are Dealt in in 'Frisco.

Authorities are Attempting to Suppress Traffic.

Under Instructions from Attorney General a Number of Persons Have Been Arrested and Placed in Custody.

San Francisco, April 22.—The Chinese quarter of this city is much perturbed at an effort by the federal authorities to suppress the traffic in female Chinese slaves. United States Marshal Shine, with a squad of assistants, made a sudden descent on the brothels and arrested 34 women. Sixteen who produced certificates of naturalization were released. The others are held in custody. It is estimated that at least 80 inmates of the houses raided escaped. The raid, as the result of an order from the attorney general at Washington to the district attorney to suppress traffic in female Chinese slaves.

Cotton Damaged. Albany, Ga., April 22.—There seems to be no longer any doubt that the cold weather of the two nights has seriously damaged growing cotton. In some fields every plant has been killed and replanting will be necessary. Telegraphic orders for cotton seed are pouring in from surrounding country.

TOOK Their Own Lives to Escape The Penalty Of their Misdeeds as Officials of a Bank.

Two Washington Defaulters Quickly Ended Their Existence.

Using the Same Revolver for the Deed. Confronted by the Bank Examiners and Admitted Their Guilt.

Vancouver, Wash., April 22.—Charles Brown and E. L. Canby, president and cashier, respectively, of the First National bank of Vancouver, which was closed by the controller of the currency, committed suicide two miles from this city by shooting themselves with a revolver. Their bodies were found lying together in a small clump of bushes about one-half mile north of the Columbia school, which is situated on the outskirts of the town. They both used the same weapon, and Canby evidently died first, as the revolver was in Brown's hand. It is evident that Canby put the muzzle of the revolver in his mouth and then blew the top of his head off. Brown then took it and shot himself in exactly the same way, falling over Canby's body.

Canby, upon being told by Bank Examiner Maxwell that the bank would not be permitted to open Saturday, went out in the yard behind the bank and attempted to shoot himself. His revolver failed to explode, although all five chambers were loaded. After failing to shoot himself Canby came back into the bank, and he and President Brown left together, taking his revolver. When Examiner Maxwell confronted the bank officials with the shortage of \$81,000 which he had discovered, both men admitted their guilt. It is stated that Brown and Canby have been speculating in stocks. Beside Brown's body there was found a package containing \$25 and a note saying that the money belonged to his daughter. Upon Canby's body the following brief note was found: "My Dear Wife—I feel what I am about to do is for the best. Forgive me if you can and try to live for our dear children. God bless you all. Goodbye.—Ned."

Brown, who was 54 years of age, has lived in Vancouver since 1862. His father was the first receiver of Vancouver land office. He has served as auditor of Clark county, is married and has a family. His connection with the bank as its president dates back 10 years. Canby was 42 years old and was well connected.

## ELABORATE

Spread Given by St. Louis Leagues

To the World's Fair Commissioners at Planters.

The Business Men of That City are Doing Their Best to Boom Their World's Fair Project.

St. Louis, April 22.—All arrangements for the banquet to be given Tuesday evening by the Business Men's league to the world's fair commissioners and others prominently identified with the enterprise at the Planters' hotel, have been completed. It is proposed to make the affair one of the most brilliant of its kind ever given in St. Louis. The invited guests include the Tawney committee of the house, the national commissioners, the speaker of the house, Senator Allison and Congressman Cannon, chairmen respectively of the appropriations committees of the senate and house, Missouri senators and congressmen.

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Justice Duffield, in his kindness of heart, directed him to the Probate Court, but the girl seemed to be a little doubtful about the alliance and insisted that the wedding be postponed. It took some coaxing to get her final consent, and Mrs. O'Connell, who thought that the money to secure a license might be lacking, offered to pay whatever the cost might be. She was assured that such was not the case, and the groom finally departed on his errand.

Instead of going to the court house direct, however, he visited the cafe at the Norval and left his intended bride waiting for a half hour or more for his return. He had made one visit to the Probate Judge, who furnished the necessary application blank and the questions required had

been duly filled out in the presence of the justice. It was while waiting for him to return with the license that the intended bride became nervous, and finally stated positively that she didn't want to get married any how and left the room. Later she drove to the corner of the Metropolitan block in a buggy and when the groom returned and found she had tired of his delay, he found her with the rig in waiting for their return home.

They were seen, after a lengthy conference, to drive over in front of the court house and the young man entered the building returning a few minutes later with a license made out to Charles Smith and Bessie Jones.

Then the buggy was driven on up north Main street and if the wedding has been consummated it fell to the lot of some one besides Justice Duffield.

Mrs. O'Connell expressed her disappointment at not being able to witness the wedding, but it seems she was not to be disappointed for just at the moment another and more demure couple entered, giving their names as Samuel Moyer and Mary E. Miller, of Cridersville. They had the necessary papers and not objecting to witnesses Mr. and Mrs. O'Connell were called in. After the ceremony, Justice Duffield explained that it was always customary for a guest to kiss the bride, and Mr. O'Connell performed the duty with his characteristic grace. Not to be outdone Mrs. O'Connell insisted upon her rights, and she enveloped the groom, whose blushes were even more pronounced than those of the timid bride, in an embrace which gave an added beauty to the kiss which followed.

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Mr. Wu is a loyal and devoted admirer of his country and its institutions and he has not been in sympathy with efforts for excessive change, as in his judgment they went so far as to invite very bitter prejudice. The edict points out past evils, and holds to severe account those members of the old regime whose conduct has been largely responsible for the distress through which the country has passed. The government therefore asks for every aid which its patriotic citizens can bring to it in overcoming the evils of the past and in establishing a secure basis for the future. Acting upon this edict, Mr. Wu has prepared his comprehensive memorial to the government. A memorial of this character, it is said, is the most important act a Chinese official can take, for it is not resorted to except on rare occasions, when the gravity of a cause warrants an official to come into immediate communication with the imperial authorities on questions of state.

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Ordered to Retire. Pao Ting Fu, April 22.—This city has been for the last four days a big military camp of French and German soldiers on the way to the front. It is now estimated that 5,000 French troops and 6,000 Germans will form the entire force when all the reinforcements have arrived. Three men left under escort to convey Emperor Kwang Sa's first order to General Liu to retire immediately into the province of Shan Si.

Railway Damaged. St. Petersburg, April 22.—Chinese rebels have again attacked the Manchurian railway. They have destroyed 150 versts of the line, removed the rails and broken up the rolling stock. Moreover, they have killed nearly a whole detachment of railway guards. Troops have been sent from Amur province to the scene of the attack.

Attacked by Boxers. Peking, April 22.—A force of Boxers and robbers, more than 1,000 strong, attacked the Indian troops, killing Major Browning and sepoy and wounding others. The company retreated to Fu Ning. Reinforcements have been sent from Shan Hai Kwan. The Boxers are apparently well armed with modern rifles.

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Ordered to Retire. Pao Ting Fu, April 22.—This city has been for the last four days a big military camp of French and German soldiers on the way to the front. It is now estimated that 5,000 French troops and 6,000 Germans will form the entire force when all the reinforcements have arrived. Three men left under escort to convey Emperor Kwang Sa's first order to General Liu to retire immediately into the province of Shan Si.

Railway Damaged. St. Petersburg, April 22.—Chinese rebels have again attacked the Manchurian railway. They have destroyed 150 versts of the line, removed the rails and broken up the rolling stock. Moreover, they have killed nearly a whole detachment of railway guards. Troops have been sent from Amur province to the scene of the attack.

Attacked by Boxers. Peking, April 22.—A force of Boxers and robbers, more than 1,000 strong, attacked the Indian troops, killing Major Browning and sepoy and wounding others. The company retreated to Fu Ning. Reinforcements have been sent from Shan Hai Kwan. The Boxers are apparently well armed with modern rifles.

Sale of Mules Stopped. Shanghai, April 22.—The viceroys of Nanking, evidently distrusting the professed object of the Franco-German expedition, refuses to permit further sales of mules to the British except on condition that they are not intended for the prospective expedition to Sian Fu.

Borrowed From Russians. Shanghai, April 22.—The Tartar general at Feng Tien, Manchuria, has borrowed of the Russians, on the security of the land and poll taxes, the sum of 400,000 taels, to be applied in forming a force of military police.



## Spring Medicine

There's no season when good medicine is so much needed as in Spring, and there's no medicine which does so much good in Spring as Hood's Sarsaparilla.

Do not delay taking it. Don't put it off till your health tone gets too low to be lifted.

## Hood's Sarsaparilla

Will give you a good appetite, purify and enrich your blood, overcome that tired feeling, give you mental and digestive strength and steady nerves.

Be sure to ask for HOOD'S, the best medicine money can buy. It is

## Peculiar to Itself

Bad Feelings in Spring—"In the spring I was feeling very badly. My blood was very poor. I began taking Hood's Sarsaparilla. It did me much good. I think it is a wonderful spring medicine and recommend it to all sick and suffering." E. L. BAKER, Editor, Cent. N. Y.

### REDUCED RATES

Northwest, West, South and Southeast, via Pennsylvania Lines.

The sale of special fare colonists tickets to California, and settlers tickets to the Northwest, West, South and Southeast has been resumed via Pennsylvania Lines. Particular information about fares, through time and other details will be furnished upon application. Please call on or address

F. M. EAKIN, Ticket Agt.

Genesee Farm Food Co., Le Roy, N. Y.: Dear Sir:—Some days since a package of your GRAIN-O preparation was left at my office. I took it home and gave it a trial, and I have to say I was very much pleased with it as a substitute for coffee. We have always used the best Java and Mocha in our family, but I am free to say I like the GRAIN-O as well as the best coffee I ever drank. Respectfully yours,

A. C. JACKSON, M. D.

## 35TH ANNUAL STATE ENCAMPMENT, G. A. R.

BELLEFONTAINE, O. For the above occasion agents of Ohio Central Lines will sell excursion tickets to Bellefontaine, O., and return at One Cent per mile each way, from all stations in Ohio.

Tickets will be on sale May 6, 7 and 8, good returning until May 10th. For further particulars call on agents of Ohio Central Lines. 55310t-encampment

## A TESTIMONIAL FROM OLD ENGLAND.

"I consider Chamberlain's Cough Remedy the best in the world for bronchitis," says Mr. William Savory, of Warrington, England. "It has saved my wife's life, she having been a martyr to bronchitis for over six years, being most of the time confined to her bed. She is now quite well." Sold by all druggists.

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Cincinnati and return, Sunday, April 21, via C. H. & D. Tickets good going on the 2:10 a. m. and 6:30 a. m. trains; good returning, leaving Cincinnati at 5:30 p. m. and 10 p. m. same date.

## CASTORIA.

The Kind You Have Always Bought Bears the Signature of

## THE L. E. & W. RAILWAY.

For the Pan-American Exposition and the East.

Not only in newspaper fiction, but in fact has the L. E. & W. Railway forged its way to the front rank in railway service and today affords the traveling public of Lima, the fastest time to Cleveland, Buffalo, New York, Boston and nearly all eastern cities. Lima to Cleveland in 4 hours and 19 minutes; Buffalo in 8 hours and 44 minutes; New York in 19 hours and 44 minutes; Boston in 21 hours and 44 minutes, by the New England Express. Three trains daily for the Pan-American Exposition, which opens May 1st. Rates for May will be \$12.40; \$10.30; and \$6.55 for round trip. For particulars call upon, phone or write

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If troubled with rheumatism, give Chamberlain's Pain-Balm a trial. It will not cost you a cent if it does no good. One application will relieve the pain. It also cures sprains and bruises in one-third the time required by any other treatment. Cuts, burns, frostbites, quinsy, pains in the side and chest, glandular and other swellings are quickly cured by applying it. Every bottle warranted. Price, 25 and 50 cents. For sale by H. F. Vorkamp, cor. Main and North streets.

## BOTH

Were Dead Before Help Came.

## Buggy Struck

By a Passenger Train on the O. S. Road

And Its Occupants Hurlled to a Violent and Tragic Death.

Mrs. Ida Ebling and Mrs. Laura Baker, of Perry Township, the Victims—Double Funeral Tomorrow.

One of the most frightful accidents that has shocked the people of Allen county for some time occurred Saturday evening at a point about three and one-half miles south of this city on the Ohio Southern railroad track, when Mrs. Henry Ebling and Mrs. John Baker, both prominent young married women of Perry township, were struck and instantly killed by a north bound passenger train on the road mentioned. The train was due here at 7:10 o'clock and was running at a good rate of speed when the engine struck a buggy occupied by the two ladies, demolishing the vehicle and hurling the occupants and the horse they were driving to violent deaths. The women were driving alone with the top of their buggy raised to protect them from the wind and snow and had no knowledge of the approach of the speeding passenger train until it was too late to avert the irretrievable disaster.

Mrs. Ebling and Mrs. Baker were on their way to Cridersville to attend a meeting of the Cridersville hive of the Ladies of the Maccabees when the tragedy occurred. The Baker home is about four miles east of Fletcher chapel and Mr. and Mrs. Baker had driven together to the home of Mr. and Mrs. Ebling about a mile east of the railroad. Mr. Baker left the buggy at the Ebling home and Mrs. Ebling took his place, the two husbands intending to remain together at the Ebling home until the ladies returned from the lodge meeting. Mrs. Ebling was a member of the L. O. T. M. and Mrs. Baker was to have been initiated at the meeting they were going to attend. The wind was blowing a stiff gale from the north and the women failed to hear the warning blast from the engine's whistle as they approached the railroad crossing. Several residents of the vicinity were on their way to Cridersville at the same time and one buggy crossed the railroad a few rods ahead of the train. Engineer J. A. Pile, who was in charge of the engine, saw the first buggy cross the track and watched the second, wondering whether the occupants would stop or attempt to beat the train over the crossing. He sounded the usual signal for the crossing but the buggy continued to approach and judging the distance, engineer Pile saw that the engine and buggy would reach the crossing about the same time. He sounded the whistle several times but still the buggy came on and releasing the whistle lever he reversed his engine and applied the emergency air brakes but it was too late to prevent the disaster. And then the crash came. The pilot scooped under the horse's hind feet, knocking the animal down on the west side of the track and hurling the buggy and its occupants high in the air.

The train was brought to a stop as quickly as possible and the trainmen hastened to ascertain the result of the collision. They found the bodies of both the women lying in the mud and water at one side of the track. Mrs. Ebling had been killed instantly, her neck being broken, while her companion sustained a severe fracture of the skull and only lived a few minutes after the accident occurred. She did not regain consciousness and was dead before she was identified. C. T. Smith, a resident of Perry

## Spring Langour

Hostetter's Stomach Bitters is what you need at this season to brace you up. It's a medicine for everyone, young or old. To tone up the nerves, sharpen the appetite, build firm flesh, rid the system of all impurities and cure stomach disorders, there is nothing like it. It is a safeguard against insomnia or attack of biliousness. See that OUR PRIVATE REVENUE STAMP covers the neck of the bottle.

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## W. H. TINSON OBJECTS TO MORPHINE.

He Objected When the Doctors Wanted to Stupefy Him.

ROXBURY, Mass.—Mr. Tinson had a remarkably severe case of sciatic rheumatism, which laid him up entirely. He had five doctors, who in bed sweated in cotton button and no medicinal name, and instead of getting better, he got worse. The doctors wanted to use morphine, which he would not have. A good friend came along, suggested Athlo-phos, and in eight days he was able to go out, and in another five days, to go to his business. Two bottles of Athlo-phos did it, and he has never had an attack since. MORAL.—If you have rheumatism use Athlo-phos.

## Athlo-phos

Cures Sciatic RHEUMATISM

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township, who was on his way to Cridersville in a buggy, reached the scene of the accident in a few minutes and he recognized Mrs. Baker. He then summoned W. L. McClain, who lived near the crossing and the latter identified both victims. The train was held until a messenger hastened to the Ebling home and imparted the awful news to the husbands of the victims. Mr. Baker and Mr. Ebling boarded the train and accompanied the bodies to the city, the remains of the women being placed in the baggage car. Upon arriving at the depot the bodies were given into the charge of Coroner Burton and undertaker Grosjean.

Yesterday morning the bodies, having been prepared for burial, were taken to the bereaved homes of the respective husbands in Perry township. The funeral will be a double one and will be held from Grace M. E. church on the south side tomorrow morning at 10 o'clock. The two corteges will meet at a point south of the city and will proceed to the church together. Rev. W. H. Leatherman, pastor of the church, will conduct the services and the remains will be interred in Woodlawn cemetery, where the bereaved husbands have purchased adjoining lots.

Mrs. Laura Baker was the eldest of the two victims of the deplorable accident, being 33 years of age. She was born in Hardin county and was a daughter of James Jones. Twelve years ago she became the wife of John Baker and he and their five children survive her.

Mrs. Ida Ebling was born in Greene county, Ohio, May 15th, 1872, and was a daughter of Mr. and Mrs. James A. Harshman. She came to Allen county with her parents when quite young and lived for several years in Perry township. The family afterwards removed to this city about twelve or fifteen years ago. Mrs. Ebling's father, who was employed with the city street commissioner's force for several years, and her brothers, Martin K. and Frank Harshman, also of this city, are well known and respected citizens. The deceased was married to Mr. Ebling eleven years ago, and is survived by her husband and three interesting children. Like Mrs. Baker, Mrs. Ebling was an estimable lady and many hearts are saddened by their tragic and untimely death.

### "STICK TO IT."

Geo. L. Heard of High Tower, Georgia, writes: "Eczema broke out on my baby covering his entire body. Under treatment of our family physician he got worse as he could not sleep for the burning and itching. We used a box of Banner Salve on him and by the time it was gone he was well. The doctor seeing it was curing him said, 'Stick to it for it is doing him more good than anything I have done for him.'"

H. F. Vorkamp, cor. Main and North streets.

### RESOLUTIONS OF RESPECT.

Whereas, it has pleased Almighty God in his infinite wisdom to remove from time into eternity, our worthy and beloved brother, L. F. Prevost, who has been a good Odd Fellow.

Be it Resolved,

1. That we tender our respect and heartfelt sympathy to the bereaved family of the deceased, who has been called upon by Him, who doeth all things well to part with a kind and loving husband and father.

2. That these resolutions be recorded upon the records of the lodge, and printed in each daily paper; also a copy sent to the family of the bereaved.

3. That the charter of the lodge be draped in mourning for 30 days.

L. C. REED,

MR. WEAVER,

E. W. MUMAUGH,

Committee.

### KNIGHTS OF COLUMBUS EXCURSION

To Muncie, Indiana, on Sunday, April 28th, 1901, via the Lake Erie & Western R. R. Co. Special train will leave Lima at 7 a. m.

Only \$1.00 for round trip. Knights will be present from all cities in Indiana. Competitive drills, etc. Don't fail to go and participate.

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## CHILD

Was the Only Tie That Held Them Together

Husband Follows His Wife and Attempts to Kidnap the Boy on the Train.

A telegram to Marshal O'Neill, of Delphos, requested him to be at the depot when train No. 5 came in from the north on the Clover Leaf at 8:20 Friday evening, says the Delphos Herald. Conductor Weir thought the services of an officer might be needed in a view of what had occurred.

At Continental a woman and child, a boy 5 years old, boarded the train, ticketed for St. Louis. At Cloverdale a man appeared on the scene, entered the car, and after the train was in motion, forcibly took the child away from the woman. There was a scene, of course, and excitement ran high among the passengers. Conductor Weir, wouldn't stand for anything of that kind and returned the child to the woman.

Nothing further occurred until the train reached Delphos. While Conductor Weir was giving Marshal O'Neill the particulars of the case, the man who had attempted to forcibly take the child, appeared on the platform and told the Marshal that the woman was his wife and the boy his child; that she had left him and was going to her parents at St. Louis. He wanted the Marshal to secure possession of the child, but as there was no proof to substantiate what he said, the Marshal could not proceed.

When the train departed the principals in the domestic drama were still aboard, and the alleged husband asserted that he would accompany his wife to St. Louis and gain possession of his son by process of law. No one on the train knew the parties, and their names were not learned.

Bromo-Pepsin is the standard household remedy for headache, indigestion, nausea, and mental fatigue, because it cures and because it is absolutely harmless. There is nothing like it. Note the word Pepsin. All druggists, 10c, 25c, and 50c per bottle.

No, Willie Green; the fly leaf of a book would scarcely make a kite.

## COMING The chief consulting and examining physician of the France Medical Institute Co., by request, will visit

## LIMA.

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From 10 a. m. to 8 p. m.

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## SUNDAY EXCURSION TO COLUMBUS.

\$1.00 to Columbus and return, Sunday, April 28th, via the T. & O. C. Ry. Special train will leave Wapakoneta at 7:17 a. m., arriving at Columbus at 10:25 a. m.

Return, special train will leave Columbus at 6:00 p. m. For further particulars call on agent of T. & O. C. Ry. tu&fr wklly—d62-tu-th-sat

### NOTICE.

Uniform members of K. of St. John there will be a meeting Tuesday evening, April 23d, at 8 o'clock. All members to be present. Major Louis Brickweade, of Cincinnati, will be with us at the.

W. J. SCHAEFER, Capt.

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My son was afflicted with catarrh. He used Ely's Cream Balm and the disagreeable catarrh all left him.—J. C. Olmstead, Arcola, Ill.

The Balm does not irritate or cause sneezing. Sold by druggists at 50 cts. or mailed by Ely Brothers, 56 Warren St., New York.

### SHERIFF'S SALE.

Case No. 5941. Page 216. Ex. Dec. 9. Ferman Ely, plaintiff, vs. Willis Knoop, defendant.

Allen Common Pleas. By virtue of a vendi exponas, issued from the Court of Common Pleas, of Allen county, Ohio, and to me directed, I will offer for sale at the east door of the court house in Lima, Allen county, Ohio, on

Saturday, May 25th, A. D. 1901, between the hours of one o'clock and four o'clock p. m., the following described lands and tenements, situated in the village of Conant, Allen county, State of Ohio, and described as follows, to wit:

Lot number four (4) in the village of Conant, Allen county, Ohio. Appraised at \$150.00. Terms of sale, cash.

E. A. BOGART,

Sheriff, Allen County, O. Lima, Ohio, April 16, 1901.

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### MUSIC FROM ARC LAMP.

Interesting Discovery in Electricity That May Be Turned to Account.

The time may not be far distant when our cities will be furnished with music at every corner. A curious discovery, which results from much electrical research and experiment at the central technical college of the city and guilds of London Institute, is reported by W. Duddell. The arc, of course, is the blaze of light which exists between two sticks of carbon placed end on and between which the electric current flows. Two different kinds of carbon are employed in the arc lamps. In the one kind the carbon stick is made hollow and is filled with a powdery material, while in the other kind the carbon is homogeneous. The former type of carbon is called "cored" the latter "solid." Now, the cored carbon possesses no musical sound. It is deaf to all persuasion, whereas the solid carbon arc, he finds, is like the mouthpiece of a flute, ready to emit any note. The note of the flute depends, of course, on the length of the pipe, as determined by the position of the fingers and the raising of the keys, whereas the note given out by the solid carbon arc depends on the nature of the "bypass" or "shunt" that is put across the carbons. Mr. Duddell, having evolved these facts, arranged a keyboard of two octaves, so that he could play tunes. In demonstrating this before the scientific body referred to he arranged four arcs in series to increase the loudness of the sound, and by varying the self-induction and capacity in the "shunt" circuit he played the national anthem, and to him: "You ought to have a still higher position." "Your majesty obviously does not know," began Mr. Ballin in reply. "What?" interrupted the emperor, "that you are a Jew?" "I know that, but that does not matter to me in the least. You can tell everybody that." The correspondent of the London Daily News who relates this little incident says that what the anti-Jewish organs say is better imagined than described.

### They Anvils.

The anvil that rings to the sturdy blacksmith's sledge may weigh 200, 300, 400 pounds, but there are anvils whose weight is counted in ounces. These are used by jewelers, silversmiths and various other workers.

Counting shapes, sizes, styles of anvil, and so on, these little anvils are made in scores of varieties, ranging in weight from fifteen ounces up to a number of pounds each. Some of these little anvils, weighing perhaps two pounds, are shaped precisely like the big anvils. Others have shapes that are adapted to their special uses. All the little anvils are of the finest steel. They are all finely finished, often nickel plated, and these surfaces that are brought into use are finished with what is called a mirror polish. The surface being made as smooth as glass. These little anvils are made on a new pounds and some of them up to ten pounds in weight. They are made some in the United States and some in Germany.—New York Sun.

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resulting from attack of larynx or heavy cold, must yield to the wonderful healing properties of Foley's Honey and Tar, which strengthens the lungs and makes them sound.

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### Remark of the Kaiser.

Berlin society is discussing a remark made by the emperor in conversation with Herr Bullin, manager of the Hamburg-American line. Herr Bullin is a great favorite of the emperor, who said to him: "You ought to have a still higher position." "Your majesty obviously does not know," began Mr. Ballin in reply. "What?" interrupted the emperor, "that you are a Jew?" "I know that, but that does not matter to me in the least. You can tell everybody that." The correspondent of the London Daily News who relates this little incident says that what the anti-Jewish organs say is better imagined than described.

### NOTICE OF APPOINTMENT.

Estate of William Rice, deceased. The undersigned has been appointed and qualified as executor of the estate of William Rice, late of Allen county, Ohio, deceased. Dated this 17th day of April, A. D. 1901.

TABITHA RICE,

ANDREW W. RICE,

Executors.

### NOTICE OF APPOINTMENT.

The undersigned has been appointed and qualified as executor of the estate of Frederick Wiesemeyer late of Allen county, Ohio, deceased. Dated this 17th day of April, A. D. 1901.

EVA K. WIESSEMYER,

Executrix.

### NOTICE OF APPOINTMENT.

Estate of Amanda Williams deceased. The undersigned has been appointed and qualified as administrator of the estate of Amanda Williams, late of Allen county, Ohio, deceased. Dated this 9th day of April, A. D. 1901.

JOHN W. MANGES,

Administrator.

### NOTICE OF APPOINTMENT.

Estate of Catherine Murphy deceased. The undersigned has been appointed and qualified as executor of the estate of Catherine Murphy, late of Allen county, Ohio, deceased. Dated this 17th day of April, A. D. 1901.

ELLEN MURPHY, Executrix.

### LEGAL NOTICE.

Louise Taylor, whose place of residence is number 5058 Armour avenue, Chicago, Illinois, will take notice that on the 10th day of April, 1901, Charles A. Taylor filed in the court of Common Pleas, Allen county, Ohio, his petition against her in case number 10637, praying that he may be divorced from her.

Said Louise Taylor is required to answer on or before the 20th day of May, or decree will be taken against her.

CHARLES A. TAYLOR,

Motter, Mackenzie and Weadock,

apl 11-6w. Attorneys for Plaintiff.

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### CAUGHT A DREADFUL COLD.

Marion Kooke, manager for T. M. Thompson, a large importer of fine millinery at 1658 Milwaukee avenue, Chicago, says: "During the late severe weather I caught a dreadful cold which kept me awake at night and made me unfit to attend my work during the day. One of my milliners was taking Chamberlain's Cough Remedy for a severe cold at that time, which seemed to relieve her so quickly that I bought some for myself. It acted like magic and I began to improve at once. I am now entirely well and feel very pleased to acknowledge its merits." For sale by all druggists.

### It Sells to Angliomance.

The publishers of "Burke's Peerage" are ardently in favor of the growth of republican ideas in other countries than Great Britain, because they find that they sell more copies of that work in the United States than in any other country of the world.

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Says the Police of a Man Held on a Bigamist Charge.

New York, April 22.—Leo Fraquin of this city, wanted in Chicago on a charge of bigamy, was held in \$1,000 bail in the Center street court until the arrival of extradition papers from the western city. Central Office Detective Burke, who arrested Fraquin, said that he used at least five names. When arraigned in court Burke asked Fraquin if he had more than three wives. The latter replied: "I have no idea of the number. Can't even keep track of them." According to telegrams received from Chicago police, he has a list that is startling.

# Family Tortured and Robbed.

Kendallville, Ind., April 22.—The home of John Andigo, an Amish farmer, was entered by three masked men, who secured \$5,000 after burning the old man's ears, nose and fingers with matches. A 19-year-old daughter of Andigo was insulted and when her father refused to give up his money as readily as demanded she was dragged down to the floor by her hair by one of the robbers. The mother, who had seen her husband's torture and the indignities offered her daughter, told the robbers that if they would desist she would give up the money. She led the way to the cellar, where, in an old cupboard, the savings of years, \$5,000, was handed over to the robbers, who escaped.

# Battle in the Street.

Kansas City, April 22.—In a free-for-all fight started by a crowd of negroes in Rosedale, Kan. William Blanchard, a white bystander, was perhaps fatally shot; J. W. Davis, deputy marshal, was shot in the hand; two other white men, names unknown, were shot and slightly wounded; Ben Cable, colored, was cut seriously, and Tom Smith, colored, was shot and wounded slightly. Sid Rawles, a negro, precipitated the trouble by cutting Cable, who, securing a shotgun, fired into the crowd. Officers overpowered and arrested the chief actors in the disturbance.

# Captain Ripley's Acquittal.

Frankfort, Ky., April 22.—The jury in the case of Captain Garnett Ripley, who was charged with being implicated in the assassination of Governor Goebel, rendered a verdict of not guilty after being out two hours. All the jurors were Democrats. The verdict was a surprise, as it was generally predicted there would be a hung jury. Captain Ripley is the fourth of the alleged Goebel suspects to be tried. Mr. Ripley will leave soon for Spanish Honduras.

# Trestles Weighted Down.

Charleston, W. Va., April 22.—The Kanawha here was stationary, and falling above. A real tippie was washed out on New river. While the Kanawha and Michigan railroad was running loaded cars onto the trestles at Midway, freight conductor Joseph Parker of Point Pleasant was killed.

# Free Quarters For Veterans.

Cleveland, April 22.—Colonel James Hays, chairman of the Grand Army standing committee on free quarters, announced that free quarters in schoolhouses and halls had been secured for 27,000 veterans at the encampment here, Sept. 9 to 14 next.

# Usurer Lynched.

Vienna, April 22.—A Jew usurer named Urban was recently lynched with horrible brutality at Sobodet, Hungary, by five of his ruined victims. Many arrests have been made in connection with the lynching.

# Mexicans Coming.

City of Mexico, April 22.—A detachment of Mexican troops, representing all branches of service, will start for the Buffalo Pan-American exposition on May 5.

# ON THE DIAMOND.

Results of the Games Played in the National League.

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Saturday's Games.  
At Cincinnati—Cincinnati 2, Pittsburgh 4.  
At St. Louis—St. Louis 11, Chicago 9.

# NEWS

## Of the City Across the River.

## Quiet Wedding

## Occurred on the South Side Last Night,

## Miss Ada Gill Becoming the Happy Bride of Mr. Thomas Miller.

## Miss Ida Soller, Formerly of This City Wedded to J. J. Johnson, at Kenton—Other South Side News.

Last night after the services at the south Lima Baptist church, Rev. Gallant performed the ceremony that united in marriage Miss Ada Gill and Thomas Miller, both of the south side. The wedding was a quiet affair, being witnessed by only a few friends. Both parties have many friends who hope for them much happiness.

Wednesday evening the Ladies' Aid society of the south Lima Baptist church will be entertained by Mrs. Hawkins, at her home on south Pine street.

This morning Mrs. W. M. Duckworth left for a visit with Jackson Center friends.

Sunday was spent by James Huff, man of west Vine street, with his wife who is at the home of her mother at Bryant, Ind.

Having obtained employment here E. L. Smith and family, of Sidney, have removed to this city. They will reside on east Kibby street.

Another south side additional family is S. Stevens and family, of Deshler.

Friends of C. M. Wood, who has been ill the past week will be pleased to learn he was able to resume business today.

The wedding yesterday at the home of the bride's parents at Kenton, of Miss Ida Soller and J. J. Johnson, was witnessed by Miss Lizzie Rathbone, of west Kibby street. Mrs. Johnson was a former south Lima resident.

This morning J. M. Wood returned from spending Sunday with his family at Kenton.

Saturday afternoon Mrs. C. Fess, of west Kibby street, royally entertained a number of lady friends at dinner, which was preceded by a carpet sewing. Mrs. J. E. Myers received first prize; Mrs. D. M. Elliott, second, and Miss Anna Bowers, third. The affair in entirety was one of real pleasure.

In a few days Charles DeVoe, the well known harpist, will leave for Detroit, where he will receive an assignment upon one of the pleasure boats running between that city and Buffalo.

It will be gratifying to many to learn of the convalescence of Mrs. Edith Bryden, of south Pine street.

The infant child of Mr. and Mrs. William Douglass, of south Main street, had a narrow escape from death Saturday afternoon. It got out on the steps at the side of Spellacy's grocery, over which its parents reside and fell down stairs. Fortunately it was not very seriously injured considering the circumstances.

Delphos friends were visited yesterday by Edgar Benson.

Sunday Mail Shappel, of Fort Sheridan, was the guest of his parents on south Main street. He re-

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cently entered the regular army, expecting to leave in about three weeks for service in the Philippines.

Yesterday William Garlinger, of Ada, was the guest of friends and relatives here.

Sunday J. V. Smiley, of Delphos, visited with his family in south Lima.

A bouncing baby boy that arrived Sunday is the object of admiration at the home of Mr. and Mrs. John Quinlan.

At her home on Harrison avenue yesterday, Mr. and Mrs. S. S. Rudy, of West Minister, were entertained by their daughter, Mrs. Iva Miller.

The home of Dr. F. L. Bates affords its hospitality to Mrs. Emma Lucas, of New Carlisle, who is the guest of the doctor and his mother.

Saturday Mrs. Jennie Shaffer, of south Elizabeth street, returned from Springfield, where she was called by the critical illness of her brother, who is now convalescent.

Yesterday Mrs. Alexander Henderson, of Sidney, visited with Mrs. J. S. Sparling, of south Central avenue. She contemplates removing to this city, locating in south Lima in the near future.

Completing an extended business stay in this locality, Mr. Briggs has returned to his home at Kenton.

This evening Miss May Heits will leave for a several weeks visit with relatives near Cincinnati.

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# THE STAGE.

Lima theater-goers evidently believe that there is something good behind the attractive advertisements of the Fenberg Stock Co. for the opera house is nearly sold out for their opening performance tonight. The company is a large one, their list of plays exceptionally strong, their specialties new and novel, and, if they carry out their promises, they will certainly give more for the money than any popular priced company that has appeared here this season.

# REAL LACE CURTAINS.

During the coming week we will have on exhibition a special lot of real lace curtains, ranging in price from \$10.00 to \$57.50 a pair. These goods are magnificent and we would be glad of the opportunity to show them to the ladies of Lima. They are much finer than could be carried in regular stock and difficult to describe satisfactorily. They must be seen and we invite you to visit our drapery department and see these gems whether you wish to purchase or not.

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# Good Wall Paper can be spoiled by a poor workman.

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## With the Stuff

## That Comes from Texas Ground.

## The Standard Oil Company Cannot Do Business in That State

# Because of the Stringent Laws Which Have Been Enacted There in Reference to Trusts of All Kinds.

A telegram concerning the Standard's attitude on the Texas oil situation says:

Dozens of new companies are being organized to operate in the Beaumont oil fields in Texas. The purchasers of the Texas Oil Company's holdings have organized a new company to be known as the National Oil and Pipe Company. The company is to work under a Texas charter and is capitalized at \$5,000,000. This is the largest capitalization of any of the recently organized oil companies. The problem of how to take care of the oil is still perplexing the producers in the Beaumont field. Daniel O'Day, the representative of the Standard Oil Company, who visited the Beaumont section on the invitation of the producers there, returned last week without submitting any sort of proposition to engage in either the transportation or storage of the product. He stated that some of the restrictions of the present state laws would have to be removed before the Standard Oil Company could take any interest in that field, and that as a rule it took more time and money to repeal existing laws than to pass new laws when introduced.

# New Oil Companies.

Austin, Texas, April 21.—The filing of charters for new oil companies received considerably during the past week, and 10 were filed today with the total capitalization of \$4,650,000. The total since January 10, 1901, when oil was found at Beaumont, is 132. Texas companies with an aggregate capitalization of \$40,410,000 and five outside companies with a capitalization of \$2,565,000. Of the Texas companies 74 have headquarters at Beaumont.

# A RAGING, ROARING FLOOD

Washed down a telegraph line which Chas. C. Ellis, of Lisbon, Ia., had to repair. "Standing waist deep in icy water," he writes, "gave me a terrible cold and cough. It grew worse daily. Finally the best doctors in Oakland, Neb., Sioux City and Omaha said I had Consumption and could not live. Then I began using Dr. King's New Discovery and was wholly cured by six bottles." Positively guaranteed for Coughs, Colds and all Throat and Lung troubles by H. F. Vorkamp. Price 50 cents and \$1.00.

# CONCERT

## In Which Splendid Talent Will Take a Part.

The Knights of Pythias lodge, No. 15, will entertain with a concert next Thursday evening, and the following program has been prepared for the occasion. Concert begins at 8:15.

Prayer.....Rev. C. D. White  
Music.....Queen City Mandolin Club  
Opening Address.....Bro. L. Hicks  
Solo.....Miss Grace Byrd  
Piano Solo.....Mrs. John A. Morin  
Song.....Queen City Quartet  
Reading.....Miss Sarah Cunningham  
Solo.....Miss Ora Burns  
Oration.....Miss Grace Simmons  
Song.....Bro. John A. Morin  
Recitation.....Miss Edna King  
Music.....Queen City Mandolin Club  
Solo.....Miss Dora Holts  
Song.....Queen City Quartet  
Solo.....Miss Hilda Burns  
Recitation.....Ravella Adams  
Solo.....Clarence Thomas  
Recitation.....Ada Day

# CARD OF THANKS.

We wish to most heartily thank the friends and neighbors for their many kind acts and favors in the sickness and death of the departed husband and father. Also for the beautiful floral offerings. Such acts of kindness we shall ever cherish in grateful remembrance, and shall always be under many obligations to each and all of them.

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# Players' Club Shows Gratitude.

Members of the Players' club of New York have just given to the Church of the Transfiguration (the "little church around the corner") a Bible for the lectern, whose paper, typography and binding are the finest possible. The present rector of the church, Dr. George C. Houghton, is son of the rector, Rev. George H. Houghton, who opened the church for the funeral services of George Holland, the comedian, after another Episcopalian clergyman had refused to perform them.

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### DEMOCRATIC SENATORIAL CON- VENTION.

The Democrats of the 32d Senatorial District of Ohio will meet in convention at Defiance, Ohio, on

Wednesday, May 22d, 1901,  
at 10 o'clock a. m., for the purpose of nominating two (2) candidates for State Senator.

The Senatorial Committee has appointed the representation of delegates at one delegate for every 100 votes and one delegate for every fraction of 50 votes or over cast for William J. Bryan for President in 1900.

Under this apportionment the several counties of the district will be entitled to the following number of delegates:

	Votes	Delegates
Allen	6,540	65
Auglaize	4,812	48
Defiance	3,768	38
Mercer	4,460	45
Paulding	3,284	33
Van Wert	3,582	36
Williams	3,048	30

Total number delegates.... 295  
F. M. BASHORE, GEO. H. KOHN,  
Secretary pro tem. Chairman.

### REDISTRICTING THE STATE.

In speaking of the proposed Republican scheme of redistricting Ohio, the Newark Advertiser has the following to say, which we heartily endorse:

"The Republicans of Ohio are planning one of the most unjust schemes of this kind ever known in this state's politics. They propose to redistrict the state by the next legislature so that the Democrats shall have but 4 congressmen out of 21. A fair apportionment according to the usual voting strength of both parties in Ohio would give the Democrats 10 congressmen and the Republicans 11. But according to the vote of last fall the Democrats would be entitled to at least 9 congressmen out of the 21."

"A fair apportionment of congressmen between the political parties of Ohio ought to be made an issue in the election for the legislature this fall. The Democrats should adopt a resolution at their next state convention demanding that a redistricting bill be passed by the next legislature that will be fair between the two great parties—giving to each party a just proportion of congressmen according to mathematical calculation—and thus raise the issue all over the state in the election of members of both houses."

### AMERICAN STEEL RAILS SENT ABROAD.

The city of Glasgow, Scotland, has just ordered 3,450 tons of American steel rails and fish-plates. The rails are bought at \$32 a ton, the fish-plates at \$34 a ton. It is quite certain that these rails and fish-plates would not be ordered from this side if any Scotch steel works could furnish them as cheaply. Scotland is the chief center of the British steel industry. And when the commercial metropolis of Scotland orders its steel rails from American manufacturers it is proof positive that the ability to make the best steel rails and fish-plates at the lowest cost is firmly established on our side of the Atlantic.

With a view to supplementing the revenue derived from licenses for the sale of intoxicants the senate of Arkansas has passed a bill requiring every liquor-drinker to take out an annual license, at a cost of \$3. Should this measure finally find its way to the statute books the state authorities in Arkansas would be charged with a new and profitable duty of sumptuary scope and import. Heretofore the tipplers have escaped classification in the list of taxpayers, but the Arkansas device of personal impost would end all that. Such an experiment, if successful, might tend to open up throughout the country a prolific source of public revenue and to revolutionize the methods of social and official attack upon the demon rum.

Complete returns of foreign trade for March show exports amounting in value to \$124,975,744; imports, \$79,949,088. The excess of over \$45,000,000 is but slightly below the export balance for March last year, and indicates, under existing conditions of traffic, a stable element of advantage in American international trade. During three fourths of the current fiscal year the excess of exports has amounted in value to \$540,687,397, or nearly \$100,000,000 more than the phenomenal excess of exports for the corresponding period in the boom year 1899. We are rapidly forging ahead to the enviable position of the foremost creditor nation of the world.

Enforcing the Waiters' Tip.  
Public dinners are so rarely remunerative to the waiters, who in the flow of post-prandial oratory are apt to be forgotten, that where the tips do not come in as they should the waiters have adopted a scheme for bringing absent-minded diners to a sense of their obligations. Between the dinner and the oratory at several recent feasts a glass with a collection of small silver at the bottom has been passed along the tables as unobtrusively as possible, with the whispered comment that its contents were for the men behind the chairs. So plain a hint has never yet failed. There are several restaurants where so plain a hint would not be tolerated, but many others are not so particular, and the practice shows how the waiter's tip is developing from a gratuity into a charge.

Whisky is evidently a nonconductor. It never conducted wealth into a man's pocket, happiness into his home or respectability to his character.

### LITTLE GIRL Struck by a Bicycle and was Painfully Injured.

Shortly after 11 o'clock today the six-year-old daughter of attorney and Mrs. William Klingor was struck by a bicycle that was being ridden by a man on the sidewalk on north Elizabeth street, and was painfully and severely injured, having an ugly gash cut in her scalp.

### DAUGHTER Of Mr. and Mrs. John M. Failor Died Last Night.

Cora A. Failor, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. John M. Failor, of Sugar Creek township, died last night after ten weeks illness. Funeral cortege will leave the residence at 2 o'clock (sun time) tomorrow afternoon and services will be held at the Wesley chapel.

### INVITATION TO ADVERTISERS.

We cordially invite all advertisers and others interested in newspaper circulation to visit our press room and inspect the circulation of the Times-Democrat as it is run out from our fast Hoe press. We absolutely guarantee a circulation greater than any other Lima newspaper has now or ever had in its history of this city.

### LIPTON BOAT NOVELTIES

Shamrock II Will Have a Pole Mast of Nickel Steel.

TO MEASURE 148 FEET IN LENGTH

Much Weight Will Be Saved and the Spar Better Braced—Boom to Measure 112 Feet and Total Length From Bow-sprit End to Mainmast Outhaul 184 Feet 6 Inches.

The America's cup races and yachts building for the challengers and defenders receive great attention in the latest yachting papers from London. The Yachting World tells of some of the novelties afloat and of the rig of the Shamrock II and says:

"From what is already known of Sir Thomas Lipton's second challenger there is good reason for expecting that the hull will show some striking modifications of the form generally adopted for the big racing yachts. The exact extent of these modifications and the effect which they will have on the speed of the boat are matters which will not be clearly known until after the boat has been tried and launched. Every little change is of importance, however, as indicating a phase of development or experiment which may improve our chances of success in this important contest, and there will therefore be considerable interest in the announcement that there will be many novelties in the rigging and sail plan of Shamrock II."

"Most striking among these is the fact that in planning the spurs Mr. George L. Watson has departed altogether from the usual method of fitting a topmast over a mainmast and has taken a bold step in fitting the challenger with a pole mast. Needless to say, the spar will be the longest ever stepped in a vessel of any kind, and from the step to the truck it will take no less than 148 feet. Such a spar would have been impossible in the time of wooden masts, but this will be made throughout of thin plates of nickel steel rolled to semi-circular shape, riveted on both edges and strongly reinforced by a large number of steel spurs extending from one side to the other of the spar. Three or four advantages are expected from this style of spar. The first and chief is that there will be no topmast to be a possible source of weakness and a permanent worry to the skipper every time the wind blows more than fresh. The Shamrock's only chance in the last contest was in the reaching race, and she lost this through an unsuspected weakness in her topmast gear. With the pole mast a stouter and better braced spar will be secured and the risk of accident minimized."

"No ratchetman requires to be told that the advantage of weight saved is multiplied when the weight is saved aloft, and in this another advantage is expected. The weight of the doming which is necessary when the mainmast and topmast are used will be saved and all the housing and windage of all the housing and part of the standing gear. Again, the steel spar built as part of the pole mast can be made much lighter than the wooden topmast, and every pound saved at this altitude is of importance."

"In the distribution of the sail also the new challenger will present a marked difference to the boat which carried the last challenge. The great spread of the fore triangle of Shamrock I was the subject of much unfavorable comment. It measured 73 feet in the base as against Columbia's 73 feet. Mr. George L. Watson has cut his fore triangle down farther even than was done on Columbia, and on the new boat it will measure only 71 feet. This is done not by shortening the bowsprit, but by stepping the mast farther forward, and the result will be to give Shamrock II the largest mainsail ever carried on a racing yacht. On the boom it will stretch 112 feet in length, and the total length from bowsprit end to mainmast outhaul will be 184 feet 6 inches."

### PERU'S FRIENDLY ATTITUDE

Generous Concessions to the Harvard Conservatory at Arequipa.  
The Peruvian government has recently given evidence of its friendly sentiments toward the United States by offering to Harvard university such real estate as might be required for the extension of the astronomical plant of that university at Arequipa, Peru, says a Washington dispatch to the New York Tribune. The authorities have also granted the unusual concession of admitting free of duty all the equipment which Harvard may send to the station.

The observatory was established by Harvard about 15 years ago and has been doing important work in making careful observation of the stars in the southern heavens. The Harvard authorities have recently determined to extend the headquarters at Arequipa, and when this came to the attention of the Peruvian government the tender of land and a remission of all duties was made to the university authorities through Senor Calderon, the Peruvian minister at Washington.

Quite an International Affair.  
With the Constitution and the Independence opposed to the Shamrock the Daughters of the American Revolution ought to be interested, says the Boston Globe, in the coming yacht race.

The Chinese Indemnity.  
If the powers collect the claims of \$500,000,000 filed against China, every resident of the Flowery Kingdom, says the Omaha Bee, will face the necessity of taking in his neighbor's washing.

### SURVEYS IN THE PHILIPPINES

Young Filipinos Will Be Taught to Take Part in the Work.

Dr. O. H. Tittmann, superintendent of the coast and the geodetic survey, is about to make an interesting experiment, says the New York Sun. He intends to train a number of young natives of the Philippines for service in the scientific work to be carried out among their islands. The idea is believed to be an excellent one. To interest some of the bright young men of our colony in the scientific development of their country and to identify them with researches to be made there will be helpful both to the natives and to our scientific bureaus, which are to expend a great deal of energy in the Philippines.

Civil service examinations open to all educated young natives are soon to be held in Manila for the selection of 15 Filipinos as aids in the United States coast and geodetic survey. Those who are selected for the work will probably be brought to the United States for preliminary training in the office of the survey at Washington before being assigned to active service in charting the rivers and harbors of the islands. The government, of course, will bear all the expenses of their training. When they are ready to enter the field, each man will receive at the rate of \$729 a year, which is regarded as an excellent salary in the Philippines, where most commodities are very cheap.

The work before the coast and geodetic survey in the islands involves a great deal of labor and may not be completed for some years. It includes the charting of navigable rivers and harbors and careful soundings along many hundreds of miles of coast waters where vessels ply in the coastal trade.

### VAST BILL FOR SOUTH AFRICA

The Probable Cost of the Anglo-Boer War.

When Mr. Kruger was reported to say that if the British wanted to take his country he would make them pay \$100,000,000 for it, we laughed pleasantly. But it was the laughter of fools. It was already cranking like a steam engine under the pot of the ex-president at The Hague, says The Saturday Review. The fact is that we have already spent on the South African war \$136,000,000, and as it is admitted that our expenditure is at the rate of \$5,000,000 a month and we shall have to pay large sums for compensation and assistance to ruined farmers, the total probable cost will not be far short of \$200,000,000. This would be five times what the Crimean war cost us and nearly a third of the debt incurred in the great struggle with Napoleon.

It is too late now to ask whether South Africa is commercially or morally worth this gigantic outlay. Time alone can show whether or not we have again put our money on the wrong horse. Some people think that the Anglo-Saxons would have been a better investment, but three powerful individuals, Mr. Rider, Mr. Chamberlain and Sir Alfred Milner, seem to have decided that the future of Great Britain lies in Africa, not in Asia. So let us hold our peace and pay the bill.

### KITE WINDMILLS.

Eddy's Novel Apparatus For Army and Lighthouse Signaling.

William A. Eddy sent aloft his first successful revolving windmill for army, navy and lighthouse signaling at Bayonne, N. J., the other night by means of kites, says the New York Journal. He demonstrated beyond a doubt that a windmill with a revolving upright shaft and horizontal revolving bars three feet in diameter can be carried to a great height by means of mammoth kites and made to revolve suspended lanterns with marvelous spectacular effect and with greater light giving power than the revolving single light used by the lighthouses.

He also found that two lights whirling like a horizontal pinwheel are visible at a greater distance than when still, because the rapid motion of the lights catches the eye. Four lights—green, blue, yellow and red—will be attached to four fans of the windmill at the next ascension.

Mr. Eddy proposes to coat the four fans of the windmill with tinfoil, to be electrically connected to earth by way of the steel wire kite cable, the windmill acting as a collector to heavily charged the wire. No dynamo or battery is to be used.

### Good Aluminum at Last.

It is possible that a new era has opened in the use of aluminum, at all events for fittings. "Magnallium" is the name given to an alloy of aluminum and magnesium invented by a continental scientist, and the reports upon it are of the most encouraging nature, says The Yachtsman. It is lighter than pure aluminum, it can be worked and turned like brass or copper, and it is stronger than brass. It is stated that it does not oxidize at all, fumes of ammonia and sulphuric acid not damaging it. It can be turned, bored, drilled, milled, filed, ground and polished easily. Tubes working one within the other slide without the slightest fretting. Screws made of it are very strong, with clean cut threads, and durable.

### Famous Georgia Swamp Sold.

The famous Okefenokee swamp, in south Georgia, has been sold to a Michigan firm, says an Atlanta dispatch to the St. Louis Globe-Democrat. The consideration, it is understood, is \$175,000. The swamp contains 354,000 acres, and its circumference is 137 miles. The swamp, it is said, was purchased for its standing timber, and after it is cleared the land will be devoted to the cultivation of sugar cane and cotton.

## PERSONAL.

Mrs. George Yager, of Fosteria, is visiting her mother Mrs. W. M. Johnston, 638 north Union street.

Mrs. M. Feley, of north Main street, has gone to Galord, Minn., to join her husband in an extended visit there.

John S. O'Connor, district deputy for the Knights of Columbus, attended a meeting yesterday of the district deputies, at the Great Northern Hotel in Columbus.

John F. Campbell and family, of west Wayne street, will leave tonight for Elkhart, N. Y., to spend a month with relatives.

The infant daughter of Mr. and Mrs. James B. Davis, of St. Johns avenue, died last night and the remains were buried in Woodlawn cemetery this afternoon at 3 o'clock.

Miss Hannah Ryan, of Dayton, is visiting her sisters, Mrs. Jas. Pearl and Mrs. Callahan.

Miss Anna Gallagher has returned from an extended visit with her brother in Washington, D. C., and a brief visit enroute home with her sister in Hamilton, Ohio.

Miss Lulu Dillbone, of Bluffton, Ind., is visiting Mr. and Mrs. C. G. Greer, at 428 Prospect avenue.

Mrs. Martin Noonan returned home from Delphos Saturday, after a visit at the home of Joseph Lang.

Mrs. Henry Higgins, of east Market street, was called to Waldo, Ohio, Sunday by the illness of her daughter.

D. F. Lufkin has returned from his trip to the Texas oil field.

Jacob Moser is seriously ill at his home on west North street.

Dr. W. J. Doward is home from Mt. Clemens. His health is much improved.

Miss Rose Shenk, of Delphos, is the guest of Miss Lenore Simons, of south Main street.

## THE IDLER.

A Columbus special to the Toledo Times says: Adjutant General Gyger has decided to supply the Ohio militia with cartridges loaded with shot instead of balls, to be used when troops are called out for riot duty. The shot are put into the shell in a circle with eight or ten in the exact center. Experiments show that the center shot go straight to the mark, while those in the circle scatter. General Gyger says the new shells are reasonably effective at short range.

F. W. Tyre, of Lima, is in the city making arrangements for a lecture to be given here some time next week by the Rev. R. W. Christian, secretary of the Curry Industrial school at Urbana, O. The Rev. Christian will lecture on "The Black Man's Burden." He is the gentleman who made an address before the Democratic county convention at Lima, on April 3d. He is a well posted man and a gifted orator and will no doubt be greeted by a large crowd should arrangements be made for his lecture here.—Delphos Herald.

A delegation from the Van Wert Gun club will go to Spencerville, next Thursday, to participate in a tournament to be given by the club in that town.—Van Wert Bulletin.

The Q. R. S. circle will meet with Mrs. J. W. Lippincott, Thursday afternoon.

## MERCHANT

From Troy Came to Lima to Carry Off a Fair Bride.

At the Grace M. E. parsonage, this morning at 9:15, Rev. W. H. Leatherman, the pastor, solemnized the marriage of Bert W. Cochran and Miss Mamie M. Hardesty. Mr. Cochran is at present the proprietor of a store at Troy, and he and his Lima bride left for the groom's home immediately after the ceremony. They are followed by the good wishes of their friends, who regret the loss of a fair companion but are happy in the belief that she has secured a loving helpmate.

COMPARE THE TIMES-DEMOCRAT'S LOCAL NEWS PAGES WITH THOSE OF THE MORNING "TRAILER" AND YOU WILL FIND THE LATTER ALWAYS TWELVE HOURS BEHIND.

## MISS ARCHER

And Her Beau Were Made One Yesterday.

William Hastings and Miss Janette Archer, two of Wapakoneta's estimable young people were quietly married by Rev. R. J. Thomson, at his residence on west Market street, yesterday afternoon. The gloominess of the day seemed to make no difference to them. With their abounding health and unalloyed happiness Miss Archer and her beau shot rays of sunshine through the clouds, and left for their Wapakoneta home bidding defiance to cloud and care. They made their own sun shine and they made plenty of it. Success to the happy, hearty couple. They will make the world brighter wherever they go.

## OUR NEW GAS LIGHTS

For Street Illumination.—What Other Cities Think of Boulevard Incandescent Gas Lamps.

At a meeting of the Ohio Gas Light Association held at Dayton, Ohio, on March 20th and 21st, the subject of incandescent Gas Lighting of streets by means of the Boulevard Gas Lamp came in for a good share of attention and the following copied from the proceedings of the Association, recently published will be of interest to the citizens of Lima, as the Gas Company will shortly erect about 150 of the same kind of lamps here.

"Incandescent gas burners have succeeded within the past year in relighting 100,000 gas street lamps in the United States, and over 250,000 lamps within the last three years. Liverpool, England, shut down its municipal lighting plant and adopted Welsbach lighting wholly, and are now putting in 25,000 Welsbach lamps.

Paris, France, made the show city of the world by turning night into day, was lighted with gas. Gas, however, was superseded by electricity; but now it is all lighted with gas by means of 32,000 Welsbach burners. Munich, the great art center of Europe, has 7,500 gas lamps; Berlin, acknowledged to be the best lighted city in the world, has discarded its 35,000 incandescent gas burners, Glasgow, Edinburgh, Leith, Naples, Wiesbaden—in fact almost every prominent city in Europe is inaugurating the incandescent gas system to replace are lighting. In this country the principal cities are gradually but rapidly recognizing the great advantages of this new system. In the United States, Cleveland, O., has 4,000 Welsbach lamps, which displaced 1,592 gas lights. All of our cities, large and small, are adopting Welsbach lighting for their streets. Some of our larger cities use gas profusely, placing the posts close together and using clusters of lights. They are about to equip Superior street, Cleveland, from the public square to Water street, with 25 posts and lamps similar to those in front of the Gas Company's office in Dayton, which are of the 3 pronged burner type. The distance is 1,300 lineal feet, putting 14 lamps on one side and 15 on the other. The lamps are arranged upon the three pronged plan, affording 350 candle power on each of the posts. That street will be lighted like some of the brilliantly illuminated boulevards of Paris. It will make the street much lighter than by are lighting, because many lights are preferable to a smaller number of lights with greater candle power. A myriad of lights is preferable to a few lights of larger units.

You can afford to place that light anywhere. You have a smaller unit and you can afford to put them correspondingly closer together."

## W. A. SMITH.

**DROWNED**  
with water, singed with fire, blinded by smoke, but have  
**RESUSCITATED**  
the tools and machines, and are ready for business. Entrance on west Spring st. Call up either phone 303.

## A Davenport

At your own price. We have two fine ones in our window. They are worth

**\$40 Each.**

We will cut the price \$1 a day until sold, even if they sell for \$1 each.

## The Newson- Bond Co.

**THE NEWSON-  
BOND CO.**

## ART FUND

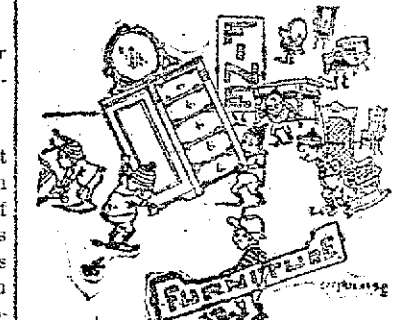
Will Come Close to Netting \$500 for Public Schools.

A full report will be made at the board of education meeting this evening on the fund created by the art exhibit. Up to noon today the figures were \$475, but the principals of each of the buildings were to report finally at four o'clock this afternoon and that amount may be added to sufficiently bring it up to the \$500 mark.

## NOTICE

To the dancing classes. There will be an assembling dance at Music hall, Wednesday evening, April 24th. 2-2t

PROF. W. S. CLARK.



We are always busy.

We make the prices that move the goods.

## THE NEWSON- BOND CO.

**Wild's**  
Linoleums are  
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## Our Great Special Sale Will be Continued Until May 1.

On account of the bad weather of the past week and in order to give our customers all a chance to secure some of the great bargains, we have decided to continue this sale for the remainder of April. No one who contemplates buying anything in the line of housekeeping supplies can afford to miss this sale. Everything marked in plain figures throughout the store.

# F. E. HARMAN,

213 and 215 North Main Street.

## MIND

ms to be Total  
Blank

to be Past

ugh the Victim is  
Intelligent.

is to be Perfectly Same  
ut Cannot Recall His  
Identity.

is Dressed, Refined and Edu-  
d But Knows Not How He  
Came to be in Lima or  
Where He is From.

ut noon yesterday a well dressed  
man of prepossessing appear-  
ance about 25 or 28 years of age  
into the police station and  
telling from Sergeant Caddy  
native reply to the question as  
her or not he was at the police  
station, he surprised the ser-  
geant saying "I wish you'd make  
me my money back."

at money?" asked the sergeant.  
"I don't know just what  
the stranger continued with a  
expression on his face he took  
near the officer and explained  
could not recall what had  
ed or what the trouble was but  
there was something wrong.  
"Is your name?" queried the

visitor studied for a minute  
and declared, "Well, I'll declare, I  
don't know what it is. I can't  
remember." Officer Caddy and Chief  
who came in soon questioned  
the stranger for half an hour or more  
though he seemed to be perfect-  
ly intelligent, he could not  
recall anything concerning his past  
life. He was not drunk and did  
not seem to be under the influence

of any drug and the case was and still  
is a puzzle for the police. The  
stranger didn't know he was  
in Lima and declared he had  
never been west of Pittsburg.  
His pockets were searched and his  
collar and cuffs and shirt were exam-  
ined but nothing could be found that  
seemed likely to lead to the discovery  
of his identity except the name "Gas-  
ton L. Deveraux" and some extracts  
from articles that had evidently been  
written for Munsey's and other mag-  
azines, that they found in a little mem-  
orandum in his vest pocket.

Thinking that the man was possibly  
a journalist the officers questioned  
him on that line and he said that it  
seemed he had worked for a newspaper  
in Pittsburg but he could not tell the  
name of the paper. He was given  
paper and a pencil and his writing  
tallied with that in the book but he  
could not tell whether or not the name  
"Gaston L. Deveraux" was his or not.

The man was taken to the county  
jail, pending an investigation of his  
case.

**Great Skua in Danger of Extinction.**

The fishermen of Dieppe, Boulogne  
and Gravelines are accused by the So-  
ciety For the Protection of Birds of  
catching that rare species of gull  
known as the great skua and using it  
as a bait. The great skua is already  
in danger of extinction, and its only  
known nesting place now is Foula, a  
mountainous islet off the west coast of  
Scotland. Steps are being taken, says  
the London Express, to have the breed-  
ing grounds closely watched this sea-  
son.

## J. N. HUTCHISON

Elected Water Works Secre-  
tary This Afternoon.

Richard Stone Elected Street Super-  
intendent—No Changes Made  
in the Engineer's Force.

At 3:30 o'clock this afternoon the  
board of water works trustees met  
and elected attorney J. N. Hutchin-  
son to succeed A. J. Morris as secre-  
tary of the water works department.  
Dick Stone was chosen to succeed  
Lou Hunter as street superintendent.  
No changes were made in the force of  
engineers.

## LONG

Chase Taken by an  
Inspector

Finally Ended

In the Capture of an  
Alleged Crook.

Prisoner Brought Here from  
the Scioto Marsh Last  
Evening.

Alleged to Have Fleeced Merchants  
Throughout the Country, Op-  
erating Under the Name of  
a Reliable Firm.

Last evening past office inspector.  
S. C. Kile, of Louisville, Ky., and  
deputy U. S. Marshal Winders, of  
Findlay, arrived in this city from the  
village of McGuffey, Hardin county,  
with a prisoner, who is believed to be  
George G. Padgett, alias George V.  
Anderson, the alleged ringleader of  
the gang of produce thieves, who have  
victimised merchants between New  
York and Chicago out of thousands of  
dollars. Padgett was found at the  
home of his mother at McGuffey, east  
of this city, in the Scioto Marsh where  
he passed as an onion grower. He  
and two others are alleged to have  
rented a room at 925 west Jefferson  
street, in Louisville, Ky., last October  
and hung out a sign, "Charles W.  
Borgmann & Co., produce and com-  
mission merchants."

There was an old and established  
firm of that name in Louisville, and  
on the financial standing of the latter  
the bogus firm ordered large ship-  
ments of produce on 30 and 60 days'  
time. The real firm of Borgmann  
was rated high in financial reports,  
and no hesitancy was made in ship-  
ping the goods. The bills of lading  
were mailed and received by the  
original Borgmann firm, but turned  
back to the postoffice because there  
had been no such purchases made.

The letters were then called for by the  
fake firm. After getting the bills of  
lading the goods would be immedi-  
ately reshipped to different parts of the  
country without being taken from the  
depot, where they were sold for what-  
ever they would bring.

Last December several car loads of  
produce were purchased and reship-  
ped to Indianapolis. These goods  
were bought from A. H. Barber &  
Co., of Chicago, and C. E. Endel of  
Sheboygan, Wis., and shipped to In-  
dianapolis to Charles H. Conter. The  
name used in shipping was F. V.  
Lamb. The goods reached there  
January 5, and Inspector Kile was in  
waiting. The attention of the De-  
partment had been called to the mat-  
ter, and he arrested C. L. Bunn,  
who called for the goods. Padgett  
was in the city, but skipped, and the  
inspector has been chasing him ever  
since.

Padgett's home was originally in  
South Charleston, Ohio, where Kile  
learned his wife was watching his  
mail. It was found that he was at  
Reynoldsburg, near Columbus. When  
the inspector reached there he was  
gone, and the chase was thus renew-  
ed from place to place and day and  
night until he was captured yester-  
day.

The prisoner spent the night in the  
county jail here and was arraigned be-  
fore United States Commissioner At-  
tair this morning. He pleaded not  
guilty, waived his right to a prelim-  
inary examination and has been taken  
to Cleveland to await the session of  
the federal grand jury in that city.

"Better out than in"—that humor  
that you notice. To be sure its out  
and all out, take Hood's Sarsaparilla. 2

## LADY MACCABEES.

The members of Lima No. 43 are  
requested to meet at Tolon hall, Tues-  
day morning at 9 o'clock, to attend  
the funeral of Ladies Ebling and  
Baker. Members of Allen Hive are  
invited. DELLA HARELD, L. C.

## WANTED.

WANTED—Good young man or boy to  
carry Cincinnati paper route. Call  
W. J. Wood, New Cambridge hotel.

WANTED—Two young men good talk-  
ers to take orders for a Cincinnati  
daily paper, salary or commission.  
Call W. J. Wood, New Cambridge  
hotel.

FOR RENT—One furnished room and  
three unfurnished rooms. T. F.  
Seward, at 297 north West. 11

FOR SALE—A stylish chestnut driv-  
ing horse, will weigh about 1100  
pounds. Inquire at 718 east Vine  
street. 60-31\*

FOR SALE—House and lot, all  
modern conveniences, number 230  
south West street. Inquire on  
premises. 0-31

FOR SALE—A fine Shetland pony.  
Call at 319 north Metcalf St. 481f

FOR SALE—A desirably located, 12  
room, modern home. Address—W.  
Care Times office. 481f

FOR RENT—House on west North  
street, with all modern improve-  
ments. Inquire at O. F. Kemmer's  
office, or write to H. H. Fletcher,  
Elmore, O. 49-1f

WANTED—To rent a double house of  
nine or ten rooms, or a single house  
of 4 or 5 rooms. Inquire at Stolzen-  
bach's bakery. 56-1f

WANTED—Men to learn barber  
trade. We teach the work in two  
months, donate tools, include board  
and pay \$12 weekly when compe-  
tent. Also give opportunity of Sat-  
urday and Sunday wages while  
learning. Our special offer good  
until May 15th. Make applica-  
tion by mail, Moler Barber College,  
Chicago, Ill. 61-61

FOR RENT—Modern eight room  
house on Baxter street, between  
High and North streets, possession  
given after May 5th. Prefer to  
rent to family without children. In-  
quire of Dr. Sullivan, over Carroll  
& Cooney's. 61-31

WANTED—A girl for general house-  
work. Apply at once, 132 west Mc-  
Kibben street. 61-31

FOR SALE OR RENT—Small farm  
and house, 65 acres of land a quar-  
ter of a mile from the Children's  
Home, on east side of the road. In-  
quire of John Johnson, 625 Heindel  
street. 61-31\*

FOR SALE—Handsome go-cart, good  
as new. Will sell cheap. Inquire at  
216 north Elizabeth street. 11\*

## GOOD CORSETS.

All the new models here at \$1.00,  
1.25, 1.50, 2.00 and 2.50.

We show the best there is in 50c  
Corsets.

The best Summer Corsets at 50c  
and \$1.00.

The best Batiste Corsets at \$1.00  
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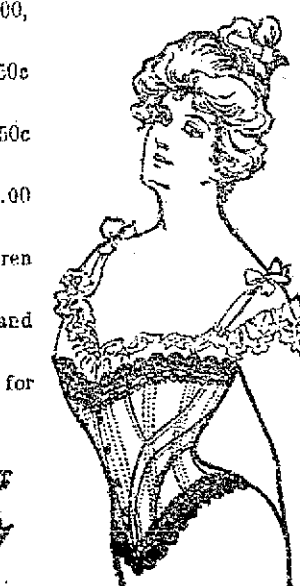
Excellent Underwaists for Children  
at 25 and 50 cents.

The best Misses Corsets at 50 and  
75 cents.

The popular Nazareth Waists for  
Boys' and Girls' at 15c and 25c.

*Feldmann & Co*

209-211 N. Main Street.



## A Davenport

At your own price.  
We have two fine ones  
in our window. They  
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We will cut the price  
\$1 a day until sold,  
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\$1 each.

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Your money bag will  
not hold the money  
you might save on  
your household goods  
if you come to us.

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BOND CO.







# PAID UP, P. WATSON & CHICAGO DIV.

## Pennsylvania Lines.

Schedule of Passenger Trains—Central Time			
Train	Days	Departs	Arrives
No. 1	Daily	7:00 a.m.	11:00 a.m.
No. 2	Daily	1:00 p.m.	5:00 p.m.
No. 3	Daily	7:00 p.m.	11:00 p.m.
No. 4	Daily	1:00 a.m.	5:00 a.m.
No. 5	Daily	7:00 a.m.	11:00 a.m.
No. 6	Daily	1:00 p.m.	5:00 p.m.
No. 7	Daily	7:00 p.m.	11:00 p.m.
No. 8	Daily	1:00 a.m.	5:00 a.m.
No. 9	Daily	7:00 a.m.	11:00 a.m.
No. 10	Daily	1:00 p.m.	5:00 p.m.
No. 11	Daily	7:00 p.m.	11:00 p.m.
No. 12	Daily	1:00 a.m.	5:00 a.m.
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No. 14	Daily	1:00 p.m.	5:00 p.m.
No. 15	Daily	7:00 p.m.	11:00 p.m.
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## C. H. & D. RAILROAD.

### South Bound.

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No. 23	Daily	7:00 a.m.	11:00 p.m.
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### Plan Proposed by a Chinaman For Solving It.

### HOW HE WOULD USE INDEMNITY.

### Western Nations Should Use It to Open Up the Empire With Railroads, Says H. T. Bosman (Ho Tung), Justice of the Peace of Hongkong.

### H. T. Bosman of Hongkong, accompanied by his wife and servant, is staying at the Waldorf-Astoria hotel, in New York. No one would suspect Mr. Bosman's identity from reading his autograph, which appears in a bold English hand upon the register. Indeed it is hard to realize even after meeting him that he is an Asiatic in blood as well as by birth, although he has all the physical characteristics of the oriental. At home Mr. Bosman is better known as Mr. Ho Tung, and he is one of the leading merchants of his native city as well as one of its most extensive property owners. In manner, dress and habits of thought Mr. Bosman is altogether occidental. He is a British subject and a justice of the peace in his majesty's service.

### Mr. Bosman is deeply interested in the trend of events politically in the far east and discusses the somewhat anomalous position of the Chinese empire with a freedom which shows that he has given foreign relations a great deal of thought. To a reporter for the New York Times he said the other day:



# VIOLATION

Of Sunday and Gambling Laws Brought Out in the Dickman Case.

Witnesses Gave Snap Away

And Certain Members of the Grand Jury Did the Quizzing Which Finally Led to a Complete Investigation. Spotters Came from Columbus.

The grand jury when once behind the portals becomes a body, bound by their oaths to secrecy, and whatever the transactions are, the public can be kept in perfect ignorance of should the matters in hand require that nothing be divulged. It is not infrequently the case, however, that in order to throw light on certain questions, the public may receive some intelligent account of transactions which does not in the least effect the result or become a violation of the oath administered.

Such an instance is at hand, now that the report of the grand jury has made public the names of those who were indicted for violating the Sunday laws, and conducting in defiance of state statutes and local ordinances places of gambling; and since there has been considerable speculation as to how the investigation was brought about and conducted, a member of the grand jury has furnished the Times-Democrat with such particulars as will make plain to everybody the true facts in the case.

As most people well known a member of the grand jury, or anyone else who may so desire, can insist upon demanding an investigation where there may be a violation of law, and the prosecuting attorney is in duty bound to lend his assistance whenever a complaint is brought to his attention.

Ask any saloon keeper in the city what he thinks was the cause of the recent action of the grand jury, so far as his business was concerned, and he will tell you that it was the yet unsolved killing of Jack Carroll in front of the Elk saloon on that fatal Sunday night. He knows that witnesses who were subpoenaed in that particular case were compelled to give an account of their every action, and furnish every detail which would enlighten the grand jury, and assist the state's attorney in the prosecution of the man who did the killing.

Had that affair not occurred the saloons might have continued in their Sunday violation, and the gambling joints conducted their illegal sport indefinitely, but as the Times-Democrat's informant positively states there were men on the grand jury who could not be blinded to the flagrant violation any longer, and insisted upon getting at the root of the evil.

One of the very first witnesses examined remarked on the witness stand that he was at the Elk saloon on the night of the tragedy and was taking a drink with a friend. Before he was dismissed a member of the grand jury, any one of whom has the right to put a question to the man under fire, wanted to know how it came that he secured a drink in the place on Sunday. The witness saw he was up against it, but when told he must answer the question, replied that it was there and that he got it. Through him the names of other persons who drank in the place were made known and subpoenas promptly issued for them.

Then the members of the grand jury decided that a full and complete investigation should be ordered, and after a conference it was determined to bring to their aid some one who, working on the quiet, and without any possibility of detection could visit the various saloons and by offering to buy on Sunday, learn in just how many places in the city liquor could be bought or drank on that day. The scheme was well planned, well ordered and well carried out as results have proven.

Two men, familiarly called "spotters," were brought to Lima from Columbus. The grand jury adjourned Friday evening until Monday morning and the Sunday which intervened was occupied by the two strangers in going from one saloon to another, buying a half a pint of liquor in one, a glass of beer in another and incidentally learning the names of parties who happened to be in the places at the time. In this way they secured abundance of proof and when they reported to the grand jury at its session on Monday they had a list which included nearly a score of local saloon-

ists besides a number of, who have for a long time done an uninterrupted business with various gambling devices.

The names of witnesses included over a hundred frequenters of saloons, but in not a few instances were picked up those who, either by accident or for the purpose of satisfying a parched throat, slipped in to take a draught on the quiet. Without an exception all of those persons were called upon to testify and it is safe to say that some of the witnesses were as much surprised as the men who were later indicted.

The idea that a clique was formed in Lima for the purpose of correcting the present lax methods of those who have municipal power, is absurd on the face of it, and it discloses an ignorance on the part of those who have fostered that opinion which is proverbial. The grand jury numbered among its members certain ones who were determined to do a little spring cleaning on their own responsibility and while it would be a violation to give their names, there is not a man who was a member of that body but who will confess that the facts as given above are true in every respect.

The "spotters," or detectives, were paid for their services and have departed after accomplishing all and perhaps more than was expected when they were instructed as to their duties.

## STILL AT IT.

A Victim of a Crap Game Complains and Gets His Money Back.

In spite of the fact that the proprietors of gambling joints have been indicted and will have to answer for the violation of the laws, there are several places still being conducted and going at the same full blast. Saturday evening a victim got up against a crap game in which he lost \$5.50 all of the money he had. The loser was not a game sport, and did not lose his wad with the grace that comes natural with most of them. He immediately consulted an attorney who advised him to go back and demand the return of his money, giving the proprietors to understand that a refusal on their part to do so would lead them into further trouble. The man did so and the \$5.50 was promptly returned thus closing the incident.

## NEXT SATURDAY

The Liquor Sellers Who Gave Bond Will Probably Plead.

Shortly after court opened this morning the first of those who were indicted by the grand jury for violating the liquor laws, appeared for the purpose of giving bond, and the amount was fixed in each instance at \$100. Including in the list were the following:

Baker & Gunchon, of the Elk; Pat Foley, Charles Ackerman, Grant Stevens, Eli Brenthlinger, Joseph Goldsmith, Wm. Hohl, Peter Hill, Peter Keller, Adolph Pellegrini, Ben Dennis and Charles Pochel. All were able to furnish the required security for their appearance and Saturday morning was the hour appointed for them to appear and enter a plea to the indictments.

The above list does not include more than half of those indicted, some of whom are out of town, and in an instance or two the husbands, whose business is transacted in their wives names, appeared to insure the bond required by the law.

## PROSPERITY FOR SURE.

The business in our Carpet department the past week has been something wonderful. Many people were unable to get attention. We have decided to continue our great special sale during the remainder of the month and will have 25 additional rolls of carpet the coming week. We have just received another shipment of 200 rolls of Matting. Notice the handsome patterns in our window. We invite your attention to this sale. F. E. HARMAN.

## LOCAL NEWS

Will be Found on Pages 2 and 3.

The demands made by the merchants for advertising space in the columns of the Times-Democrat requires the placing of much of the fresh local news on pages two and three. Read the Times-Democrat through and get all the news all the time.

## CAUSE

Of a Brakeman's Death a Mystery.

Coroner at Hamilton is Now Investigating,

But is Unable to Say Whether a Tramp or an Overhead Bridge Ended His Life.

David Beckett, of 392 Ross street, Hamilton, has told Coroner Sharkey that on Thursday he was on the D street bridge when the C. H. & D. train on which F. G. Land, the brakeman was found dead, passed under the bridge. He saw the body of a man on top of a freight car before he reached the bridge. Conductor Mike Sharkey of the train in question has told Coroner Sharkey that the last stop made on the trip was at College Corner and that no tramps were on the train leaving there. This is in relation to the theory that Land was killed by tramps. Coroner Sharkey said today: "I think the question as to whether Land was killed by being struck by a bridge or not depends upon whether he was on top of one of those furniture or 'Jumbo' cars. The law requires that railroad bridges be 23 feet above the ball of the rail."

If the testimony shows that Land was prostrated on top of a car before that car reached D street bridge, and was on an ordinary high car when found, then we are up against it."

Notes. Oiling roadbeds to abate the dust nuisance has been declared advisable and the practice will become more general than it has been in the past. Oil is a failure as a dust eradicator on fine sand, but works to perfection on coarse gravel. It is estimated that it cost \$50 per mile to thoroughly oil a roadbed.

The Bass works shipped a locomotive boiler and tank to the Locomotive works, Lima, Ohio, today. The Bass works build several boilers and tanks for the Lima people.—Fort Wayne Sentinel.

The carpenters at the L. E. & W. shops went to work this morning on the construction of a new engine cab which, when completed, will be the largest ever used on the road. The company does not contemplate placing larger cabs on all of its engines but has issued a special order for this one monster for a special reason and purpose. There is one engineer on the road who, since he came in yesterday, is too big to occupy even one of the cabs on the largest of the moguls. That distinguished individual is engineer John Quinlan, at whose home on south Main street, a handsome son has just arrived.

The friends of Mrs. Reis, wife of C. E. brakeman Frank Reis, will be pleased to learn that she is steadily improving since having undergone a surgical operation in a hospital at Binghamton, N. Y.

## GOT HIM

Before He Could Leave an Unpaid Board Bill.

Constable Creman arrested Charles Field, who has been boarding at John O'Connell's, on south Main street, Saturday, just as he was about to leave the city. O'Connell complained that Field was trying to get away without paying his board bill. Field was brought before Justice Dunfield, turned over the amount and was released.

Artistic, up-to-date interior decorations as well as cheaper grades of Wall Paper can always be found at the City Book Store. tu-sat.

## HAND

That Often Stayed Death's Sword

Is Now Stilled

In the Grim Reaper's Silent Fold.

The Venerable Pioneer, Dr. W. H. Harper Passes to the Eternal Realm

After an Illness That Resulted from an Accident Five Months Ago—Funeral Will be Held Tomorrow.

The venerable Dr. William Harper, whose name has been coupled with the history of Allen county for more than half a century, passed from mortal life at his home, 524 west North street, at 7:12 o'clock last evening, death's hand terminating an illness that was of about five months duration. Surrounded by his surviving sons and daughters the aged pioneer sank into the silent repose of death quietly and peacefully, the silent expression of the contentment and reward of a long life well spent remaining upon his countenance undisturbed by even the slightest trace of pain or suffering: a fitting close of an upright, honorable and useful life.

Dr. Harper was a citizen whose memory will ever remain with Lima's history that was made during the last half of the nineteenth century. Coming to this city in 1845 he entered upon a long and successful career as a practicing physician and surgeon and in many ways aided the progress of his chosen home town from its primitive state as a country village to becoming the splendid city that it is today. As a citizen he was progressive, liberal and active and as a professional man, he was as untiring in his efforts as he was successful in them. For many years he served as the surgeon for nearly every railroad company that built a line to this city. By the older citizens of Lima he will be best remembered as the vigorous, active professional man who was ever ready to the relief of the sick or injured and always foremost in advancing the best interests of the city and his fellow citizens. The younger generation will ever remember the kind hearted, white haired gentleman who always had a cheerful greeting and a friendly word of encouragement for all, either stranger or neighbor.

Dr. Harper was not only a pioneer as a citizen of Lima, but he was also a pioneer in the advanced and progressive school of the medical profession. He was first to organize a medical society in this section of the state and his progressive ideas and honorable methods had a lasting influence among his early professional associates. He retired from active practice quite a number of years ago, but remained active and strong both mentally and physically and even in the last days of his fatal illness his intellect was bright and active. On November 13, last, he fell on a slippery walk near his home and sustained a fracture of the right leg near the hip. He rallied well from the shock but being forced to remain inactive on account of the fracture he lost his former vigor and strength steadily and his death was due to exhaustion. The deceased's wife died in July, 1896 and Dr. Harper is survived by two sons, two daughters, six grand children and one great grand child. His daughters are Mrs. R. K. Syfers, of Indianapolis, Ind., and Mrs. Wm. Annatt, of Wooster, O. The sons are Thomas W. Harper, of Terre Haute, Ind., and Harry Harper, (W. H. Harper Jr.) of Ottawa, O. The deceased is also survived by one sister, Mrs. C. A. Metheny, of this city, and two brothers: George W. Harper, of Cedarville, and Thomas H. Harper, of Selma, Greene county, Ohio.

The funeral cortege will leave the residence at 2 o'clock tomorrow afternoon and services will be held over the remains at 2:30 o'clock at the Wayne street church of Christ, the pastor, Rev. Brundage, officiating. The remains will be consigned to a final resting place in Woodlawn cemetery.

## Biographical Sketch.

The history of Allen county, published by Warner, Beers & Co., of Chicago, in 1885, contained the following biographical sketch of Dr. Harper and his family:

W. H. Harper, physician and surgeon, Lima, was born March 29th, 1812, in Greene county, Ohio. He is a descendant of the Harpers, of Maryland,

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who gave name to the ferry known as Harper's Ferry. He is a son of Thomas and Mary (Sirlott) Harper, and to this union have been born ten children, of whom four are living: (John H.) lost his land in Maryland, owing to irregular title, and with his family, moved to Ohio, in 1814, located in the vicinity of Chillicothe, where he remained one year; then replying to Greene Co., where he settled on Massie's Creek, which took its name from Gen. Massie. Thomas and Mary Harper had seven children, two dying in infancy; two girls and three sons still live. Dr. Harper, the eldest, began the study of medicine in the spring of 1840, in Jamestown, Greene county, Ohio, under the tuition of Prof. John Dawson. He attended his first course of lectures at the medical college, Louisville, Ky. He then practiced his profession, both in Greene and Allen counties. He came to Lima in 1845, where he has been engaged ever since in his profession. He graduated from Starling Medical College, Columbus, Ohio, in 1852. Dr. Harper was married in the fall of 1840, to

Clarissa Winans, of Jamestown, Ohio, daughter of Dr. M. and Mary Winans, and to this union have been born ten children, of whom four are living: Mrs. R. K. Syfers, of Indianapolis, Ind.; T. W., an attorney of Terre Haute, Ind.; Vinnie, a teacher in the Lima High school, a graduate of Wooster University, Ohio; W. H., Jr., an employee in the Lima National Bank. Dr. Harper was postmaster of Lima for one term, was also a member of the school board. He was, surgeon of the One Hundred and Fifty-first Regiment, during the war of the Rebellion, was also pension surgeon, and is now a member of the pension board. Dr. Harper has added a splendid block to the city of Lima, situated opposite the court house, which bears his name. He is a member of the Christian church.

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